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Y	AA	3,737,337	06/05/73	Schnoring <i>et al.</i>
Y	AB	3,523,906	08/11/70	Vrancken <i>et al.</i>
Y	AC	3,691,090	09/12/72	Kitajima <i>et al.</i>
Y	AD	3,891,570	06/24/75	Fukushima <i>et al.</i>
Y	AE	4,166,800	09/04/79	Fong
Y	AF	3,887,699	06/03/75	Yolles
Y	AG	4,542,025	09/17/85	Tice <i>et al.</i>
Y	AH	3,928,566	12/23/75	Briggs <i>et al.</i>
Y	AI	4,675,189	06/23/87	Kent <i>et al.</i>
Y	AJ	5,019,400	05/28/91	Gombotz <i>et al.</i>
Y	AK	4,389,330	06/21/83	Tice <i>et al.</i>
Y	AA2	5,192,741	03/09/93	Orsolini <i>et al.</i>
Y	AB2	4,835,139	05/30/89	Tice <i>et al.</i>
Y	AC2	4,530,840	07/23/85	Tice <i>et al.</i>
Y	AD2	4,804,741	02/89	Verbiscar <i>et al.</i>
Y	AE2	5,475,984	12/19/95	Fermani, <i>et al.</i>
Y	AF2	5,307,640	05/03/94	Fawzy, <i>et al.</i>
Y	AG2	5,922,253	07/13/99	Herbert, <i>et al.</i>
Y	AH2	6,153,129	11/28/00	Herbert, <i>et al.</i>
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